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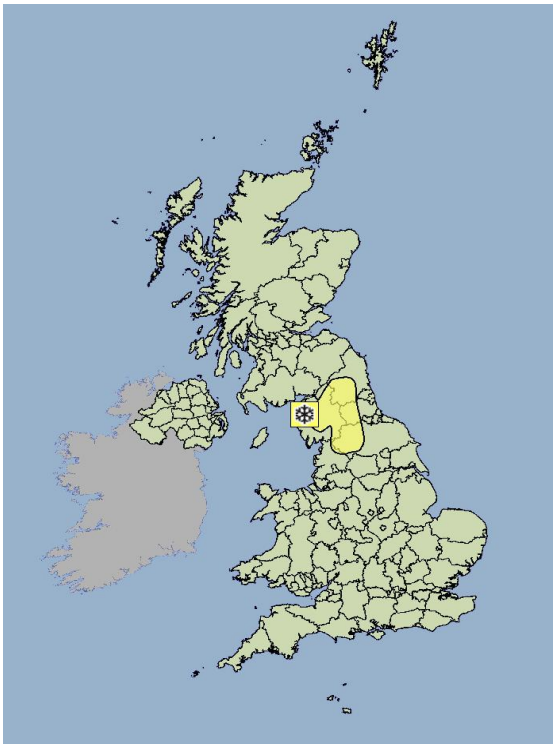

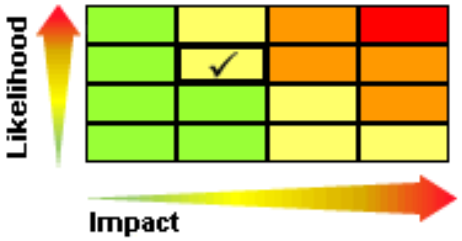

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An active frontal system will move northwards into northern England on Tuesday night and will become slow-moving on Wednesday. Initial heavy rain could well turn to snow in places as it encounters cold air, although there is uncertainty in the exact locations likely to be affected. The snow should ease from the south during the morning and become confined to the north of the warning area.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **03:00 on Wed, 22nd Mar 2017** until **12:00 on Wed, 22nd Mar 2017**

Heavy rain is likely to turn to snow in places early on Wednesday. Snowfall of 2-5 cm could occur in places, mainly above around 150 m, with perhaps 10 cm above 300 m. This will bring a risk of difficult travel conditions for the morning peak travel period including slower than normal journey times, particularly for some cross-Pennine routes. Surface water and slush may cause problems elsewhere.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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